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The most recent war memorial built on the National Mall was the World War II (WWII) memorial. The addition of this memorial caused significant controversy due to, among other concerns, its location on the mall. Critics claimed that its proposed location, near the Constitution Gardens and along 17th St. NW, would block the view between the Lincoln Memorial and the Washington Monument, a space known for its open landscape and often used for political demonstrations.

Your question to answer is: **Where should the next memorial on the National Mall be placed, and what should its footprint be?**

In your groups, you will do the following (documents are highlighted in bold):

* As a group reread and discuss your annotations of the article, ***No Accord on WWII Memorial***, excerpt from ***Making the Memorial*** by Maya Lin, and ***Memorial Design – Air Force Memorial***.
* Decide which important historical event you would like to memorialize.
* Review the **map of the National Mall** **with coordinate grid**, and pictures of the **Vietnam Veterans Memorial** and **Air Force Memorial** to determine a site for your memorial. Keep in mind the points that the opposers of the placement of the WWII memorial made.
* Draw the footprint of the monument you will create and a justification for the design.  
  *Note: You are required to draw the footprint of the monument. You may decide to build a 3D model of it, but that is not required.*
* Write the equations of all the lines/curves in your monument footprint.  
  *You may use Desmos to help you with the equations*.
* All finished plans must be on graph paper that is at least 11” x 17”. The use of ghost board poster paper is highly recommended.

Timeline:

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| Day | Area of Focus | Targeted Outcome |
| 1 | * Read and discuss annotated articles * Discuss images * Study map of National Mall to determine appropriate location | * Determine what historical event you would like to memorialize * Determine location for your memorial |
| 2 | * Sketch monument footprint | * Finalize monument footprint |
| 3 | * Write equations for the lines/curves of the monument footprint | * Equations for the lines/curves for monument footprint |
| 4 | * Draw your aerial map of your monument |  |
| 5 | * Finish your aerial map of your monument * Work on your written report | * Complete aerial map |
| 6 | * Finish written report | * Finish project |
| 7 | Present DBQ projects | * Present projects |